

Page 9, please replace the paragraph starting at line 21 and ending at line 28 with the following new paragraph:

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--Fig. 2A shows the ends Fx of two lengths of cutting line F that have been passed from the outside of the housing 3 in through the bushings 4. The ends Fx project out through the slots 5C' and can therefore be grasped by the user, pulled further to draw more line F through the bushings 4 and then inserted - thereby forming a loop Fy (Fig. 2B) - in the anchor holes 5D. The line F can then be pulled radially from the outside to take up the loop Fy and then be wound up by turning the spool 5 with the aid of the arcuate projections 5H.--

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claim 8 as follows.

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8. (Amended) Grass-cutting head as claimed in claim 7, wherein:
said housing includes a first housing portion, through which extends an axial hub of a rotary drive, and said spool being placed in said first housing portion;
a support for supporting said spool, said support being mounted on said axial hub and elastically pressed against said first housing portion by said spring-action member;
axially elongate openings in said support, through which pass said moveable stops carried by said actuating slider and engage with the teeth on the spool; and
an annular cover closes said housing and extends around the support for said spool.

Please amend claim 11 as follows.